

# ***HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES***

***ONE-HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
2014***

## ***WEEKLY CALENDAR***



***BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER***

***Week of April 7, 2014***

### House Committee and Sub-Committee Schedule

#### Monday

	16	29	30	31
1:00	<i>FW&amp;M Sub</i> (To hear appropriations amendments)			
4:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			

#### Tuesday

	16	29	30	31
8:00				
8:30				
9:00	<i>FW&amp;M Sub</i>			
9:30				
10:00				
10:30				
11:00	EDUCATION		GOV. OP.	
11:30				
12:00				
12:30				
1:00	FINANCE (TBA)			
1:30				
2:00				
2:15				
2:30				
3:00	C&R (TBA)			
3:30				
4:00				

#### Wednesday

	16	29	30	31
8:00	C&R (TBA)			
8:30				
9:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			
9:30				
10:00				
10:30				
11:00				
11:30	<b>Wednesday Committee Schedule To Be Announced</b>			
12:00				
12:30				
1:00				
1:30				
2:00				
3:00				

#### Thursday

	16	29	30	31
8:00	C&R (TBA)			
9:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			

\* 16, 29, 30, and 31 refer to House Hearing Rooms located in the Legislative Plaza

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## Education Committee

Tuesday, April 8, 2014 - HHR16 - 11:00 AM

**Brooks H, Chair; Forgety, Vice-Chair;**

Akbari, Brooks K, Coley, DeBerry J, Dunn, Kane, Lollar, Love, Moody, Pitts,  
White D, White M, Williams R

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**HB 1871 by \*Coley, Williams R (SB 1940 by \*Johnson, Bowling)**

Education, Curriculum - As introduced, requires every LEA required to provide family life curriculum to provide the department of education and the state board of education with a list of the specific curriculum used to teach the family life curriculum; requires the report to include the contact information of every individual, non-LEA employee or organization authorized to teach the family life curriculum. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 13.

**HB 1969 by \*Pitts (SB 2093 by \*Green, Ketron, Crowe)**

Children - As introduced, makes the children of armed services personnel who were killed or reported missing in action eligible to attend pilot pre-kindergarten programs and requires licensed child care agencies to prioritize such children on any waiting list for admission. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 71.

**HB 1978 by \*Pitts (SB 2101 by \*Finney )**

Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department of education to provide a fiscal note detailing the financial impact of any proposed rule or policy. - Amends TCA Title 3 and Title 49.

**HB 2082 by \*Love (SB 1863 by \*Tate)**

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, amends the number of days in which a student must be present in the classroom before the students TCAP scores are attributed to the specific teacher or school where the student is enrolled. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 6.

**HB 2121 by \*Dunn, Moody, Forgety, Kane, Brooks H, White D, White M (SB 2257 by \*Massey, Burks)**

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, provides that duty-free teacher time for instructional planning shall be allocated on an individual basis. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 2125 by \*Pitts (SB 2370 by \*Tate)**

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, specifies that the provisions regarding suspensions imposed by the director of schools for three days or less apply to suspensions of teachers. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 2453 by \*Matheny, Holt, Dunn, Hill M, Moody, Butt, Womick, Casada, Faison, Carr J, Matlock, Shipley, White D, Carter, Doss, Pody, Weaver, Kane, Williams R, DeBerry J, Alexander, Spivey, Brooks K (SB 2559 by \*Bowling, Hensley, Bell, Tate, Green, Dickerson, Burks, Crowe, Gardenhire)**

Education - As introduced, requires every LEA to allow parents to review all instructional materials used in the classroom of the parent's child; mandates the LEA to allow parents access to review all surveys and evaluations administered to the parent's child. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 70.

**HB 2497 by \*Holt (SB 2501 by \*Stevens)**

Students - As introduced, revises the provisions governing the student code of acceptable behavior and discipline. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

**HB 2076 by \*Forgety, White M, McCormick (SB 2355 by \*Gresham, Kelsey)**

Education - As introduced, requires the state board of education to report on the use of the scholarship fund for deaf students graduating from the Tennessee school for the deaf and the amount of moneys in the fund and expended for scholarships by November 1, 2014, with an update of the report by November 1 every year thereafter. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 1793 by \*Kane (SB 1949 by \*Campfield)**

Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to promulgate rules that set the frequency for special exemptions, for the purpose of conducting infrequent school-sponsored fundraisers, for food or beverages that do not meet certain federal nutrition standards. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 2042 by \*White M, Brooks K, Casada (SB 2197 by \*Ketron)**

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, allows credit for a local government, that appropriates funds for education for a nonrecurring expenditure evidenced by a written agreement with the LEA, when determining compliance with the local government's maintenance of local education funding requirements. - Amends TCA Section 49-3-314(c).

**HB 2369 by \*White M, Love, Gilmore (SB 2509 by \*Tate)**

Education - As introduced, requires the director of schools to serve as chair of the LEA's community pre-k advisory council, instead of permitting the director to serve or designate a person to serve as chair; requires child advocacy organizations to be represented on the community pre-k advisory council. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 1932 by \*White M (SB 2043 by \*Kelsey)**

Schools, Charter - As introduced, requires the department of education to adopt and publish, by August 1, 2014, uniform guidelines to be used by local education agencies in which a charter school operates in submitting their annual reports listing underutilized and vacant properties. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 2147 by \*Parkinson, McManus (SB 2511 by \*Tate)**

Education, Higher - As introduced, creates the student athlete trust fund to provide a source of funding for one-time payments to eligible student athletes who graduate from a public institution of higher education in Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 2318 by \*Powers (SB 2104 by \*Gresham)**

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires members of both the state and county boards of education to have a high school diploma or GED and at least two years of postsecondary education; current members may fulfill their terms and seek re-election. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 2.

**HB 1975 by \*Pitts, Mitchell (SB 2102 by \*Finney )**

Education - As introduced, prohibits the test scores from the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers to be used in evaluating LEAs during the 2014-2015 school year. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

**HB 2102 by \*Coley, Love, Brooks H, McCormick (SB 2069 by \*Tate)**

Schools, Charter - As introduced, removes a provision that created a task force to study and evaluate the Tennessee Public Charter Schools Act of 2002, under the facilitation of the comptroller of the treasury, and to report to the general assembly by February 2, 2011. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13.

**HB 1306 by \*Windle, Camper, Matheny, Carr D, Lundberg, Keisling, Hawk, Sparks, Swann, Miller, Parkinson, Odom, Johnson G (SB 1369 by \*Tate, Bowling, Southerland)**

Education, Higher - As introduced, requires UT and TBR institutions to provide free parking to employees who earn less than the average state employee salary; permits other employees to be charged for parking on a tiered scale based on salary. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7.

**HB 2290 by \*Spivey, Carr J, Hill M, Carr D, Farmer, Faison, Shipley, Womick, Matlock, Calfee, Matheny, Williams K, Sanderson, Lollar, Tidwell, Doss, Butt, Lynn, Hill T, Lamberth, Watson, Holt, Dunn, Durham, Goins, Bailey, Weaver, Forgety, VanHuss, Rogers, Alexander, Jernigan, Sexton, Floyd, Casada, Swann, Travis, Pody, Hawk, Sparks, Moody, Fitzhugh, Shaw, Favors, Shepard, Johnson G, Hardaway, Cooper, Akbari, Turner J, Miller, Jones, Stewart, Mitchell, Turner M, Brooks K (SB 2057 by \*Niceley)**

Education - As introduced, requires the department of education to reimburse LEAs for the costs of implementing and the ongoing costs to use common core state standards and PARCC assessments. - Amends TCA Title 49.

FINAL CALENDAR

**Finance, Ways & Means Committee**

**Tuesday, April 8, 2014 - HHR16 - TBA**

**Sargent, Chair; Alexander, Vice-Chair;**

Armstrong, Calfee, Camper, Carter, Brooks K, Cooper, Fitzhugh, Hall, Harrison,  
Hawk, Hill M, Johnson C, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Odom, Roach, Shaw

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**[HB 1542](#) by \*Bailey, Fitzhugh, Butt, Swann, Halford, Calfee, Travis, Keisling, Holt, Lollar, Ragan, Faison, Matheny, Hawk, Coley, DeBerry J, Windle, Marsh, Hill T, Moody, Pitts, Jones, Odom, Shaw, Jernigan, Powell, Tidwell, Williams K, Carr D, Johnson G (SB 1705 by \*Niceley, Southerland)**

State Employees - As introduced, credits a state employee with 10 or more years of state service with the equivalent of a GED® for the purposes of retention of state employment, promotion as a state employee, or return to state service. - Amends TCA Title 8.

**[HB 2116](#) by \*Brooks H (SB 1834 by \*Gresham, Niceley)**

Education, Higher - As introduced, limits courses state employees can take free of charge at public institutions of higher education under the state employees' fee waiver to 4 credit hours or 120 clock hours courses; allows the use of the fee waiver as partial payment for courses of more than 4 credit hours or 120 clock hours. - Amends TCA Section 8-50-114.

**[HB 1485](#) by \*Dean, Hill M, McCormick, Towns, Brooks H, Butt (SB 1587 by \*Tracy)**

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, permits a local legislative body to approve the clearing of a ford by majority vote; deletes the requirement that the legislative body and mayor report the fords to be cleared; deletes the requirement for advertisement of the fords to be cleared; removes the requirement that a contractor hired to clear a ford have two witnesses sign the certification upon completion. - Amends TCA Title 54.

**[HB 1486](#) by \*Dean, Cooper (SB 1457 by \*Tracy)**

Special License Plates - As introduced, authorizes issuance of a specialty license plate for the Tennessee Cave Salamander; provides that the sale proceeds shall be deposited into the wildlife resources fund. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

**HB 0190 by \*McCormick, Dunn, Ragan (SB 0196 by \*Norris, Kelsey, Summerville)**

School Vouchers - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Choice & Opportunity Scholarship Act". - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1.

**HB 0859 by \*Durham, Rogers (SB 0726 by \*Watson, Bowling)**

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, prohibits health insurance entities from imposing greater copayment and coinsurance requirements on services to covered persons from chiropractors, physical therapists or occupational therapists than on physicians. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7.

**HB 2435 by \*Eldridge, Todd (SB 2555 by \*Yager)**

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, specifies that any special occasion license issued to a charity, nonprofit, or political organization shall only be issued up to 6 months in advance of the event and that any entity or its agents may transport wine, beer, or other alcoholic beverages to and from the event space 48 hours prior to the event. - Amends TCA Title 57.

**HB 1480 by \*Faison (SB 1774 by \*Bell)**

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, creates an exception to the offense of carrying a firearm in public without a handgun carry permit that the person is not otherwise prohibited from carrying a firearm and is carrying the firearm in a privately-owned motor vehicle. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

**HB 2027 by \*Haynes, Sanderson, Casada, McManus, Matheny, Todd, Shaw, Weaver, Turner M, Johnson C, Williams K, Sargent (SB 2415 by \*Bowling, Dickerson, Crowe, Niceley, Ketron)**

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes a winery or farm wine permit holder to conduct business at satellite locations; establishes a small winery wholesalers license; allows a winery, farm wine permit holder, manufacturer or retailer store to charge for samples; limits size of wine samples. - Amends TCA Title 57.

**HB 1913 by \*Lollar (SB 2337 by \*Kelsey)**

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, places restrictions on the lease or conveyance of certain property affecting the appraisal and collection of taxes through exemption. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-203.



**HB 1769 by \*McCormick, Marsh, Brooks K, Shepard, Halford, Tidwell, Spivey, Weaver, Wirgau, Doss, Sanderson, Littleton, Miller, Shaw, McDaniel, Calfee, Armstrong, Fitzhugh, Ramsey, Shipley, Jernigan, Mitchell, Hall, Carter (SB 2076 by \*Norris, McNally, Henry, Stevens)**

Taxes, Gasoline, Petroleum Products - As introduced, enacts the "Transportation Fuel Equity Act"; uniformly taxes all commercial carriers using diesel fuel to transport persons or property for a fee; establishes the manner for collection of the tax. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 3; Title 67, Chapter 4; Title 67, Chapter 6 and Chapter 602 of the Public Acts of 2007.

**HB 1730 by \*Matheny (SB 1893 by \*Bell)**

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, merges the board of barber examiners and the board of cosmetology into the newly created state board of cosmetology and barber examiners; restructures appointing authority to include governor and both speakers. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4.

**HB 2037 by \*McManus, Weaver, Lamberth, Evans (SB 2079 by \*Norris, Kelsey, Bowling, Campfield, Crowe, Gardenhire, Henry, Tate)**

Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, requires the treasurer to recommend to the TCRS board of trustees a funding policy with respect to TCRS; enacts the "Public Employee Defined Benefit Financial Security Act of 2014"; revises other benefit-related provisions. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 37, Part 3 and Title 9, Chapter 3.

**HB 2320 by \*Powers (SB 1999 by \*Yager)**

Election Laws - As introduced, requires the coordinator of elections and the state election commission to certify each voter registration system for purchase and use in the state; provides that the voter registration list is the property of the county election commission and the state; restricts the use of certain voter registration information; provides penalty for the unauthorized use of certain voter registration information. - Amends TCA Section 2-2-137 and Section 2-2-138.

**HB 1806 by \*Shipley (SB 2156 by \*Green)**

Safety - As introduced, authorizes the chief inspector of boilers to grant variances to the requirements for frequency of inspections. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 122.

**HB 1873 by \*Fitzhugh (SB 1978 by \*Finney )**

Economic and Community Development - As introduced, requires recipients of certain grants or loan contracts from the state to disclose certain information for the duration of the grant or loan; creates a fine for failure to provide such information; and requires the department of economic and community development to publish certain information on its web site. - Amends TCA Title 4.

**HB 1938 by \*Odom (SB 2283 by \*Dickerson)**

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, permits continued property tax exemption for property financed by certain federal programs, when the loan has been paid in full and the property continues to be used for elderly persons or persons with disabilities. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 2.

**HB 2097 by \*Odom (SB 2490 by \*Dickerson, Bowling, Summerville)**

Highway Signs - As introduced, designates certain state-owned parkland along I-440 Parkway in Davidson County as the "Senator Douglas Henry Urban Conservation District" and prohibits the property from being developed. -

**HB 1783 by \*Harrison, Lamberth (SB 1872 by \*Overbey)**

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, extends for one year the nursing home annual assessment fee and removes a provision that would repeal a contracting requirement concerning managed care organizations and nursing facilities on June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 68 and Title 71.

**HB 1784 by \*Harrison (SB 1875 by \*Overbey)**

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, extends the current moratorium on the issuance of certificates of need (CONs) for new nursing home and skilled nursing facility beds until June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Section 68-11-1609 and Section 68-11-1622.

**HB 1950 by \*Harrison, Wirgau, Sanderson, Kane, Coley, Farmer, Hawk, Carr D, Casada, McDaniel, Eldridge, Swann, Powers, Keisling, Faison, Lundberg, Williams K, Lamberth, Hardaway, Goins, Forgety, Brooks K, Sargent, Johnson C, Haynes, Roach, Todd, Jernigan, Ramsey, Lollar, Sparks, Cooper, Gilmore, Akbari, Towns, Odom, Love, Womick, Stewart, Pitts, Jones, Floyd, Fitzhugh, Turner M, Johnson G (SB 1908 by \*Overbey)**

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, enacts the "Annual Coverage Assessment of 2014". - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5 and Chapter 250 of the Public Acts of 2013.

**HB 2451 by \*McDaniel (SB 2553 by \*Yager)**

Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, allows the state board of equalization to correct an error in the computation of a certified tax rate; makes corrected rate applicable to the tax year in which the certified tax rate is calculated if the error is corrected before the tax billing date and in the next tax year if the error is corrected after the tax billing date. - Amends TCA Title 67.

**HB 1536 by \*Sargent (SB 1477 by \*Johnson)**

Taxes - As introduced, allows a deduction from business taxes for any costs incurred by a natural gas marketer to take title to, transport, or deliver natural gas to customer facilities located in this state. - Amends TCA Title 67.

## **Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee**

**Tuesday, April 8, 2014 - HHR16 - TBA**

### **Harrison, Chair;**

Alexander, Armstrong, Brooks K, Camper, Fitzhugh, Hawk, McCormick,  
McDaniel, Odom, Roach, Sargent

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#### **HB 1949 by \*Akbari, Camper, Love, Cooper, Towns, Gilmore, Johnson G, Favors (SB 1861 by \*Tate)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the fine imposed on a person who commits an assault or an aggravated assault against an elder person. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 47; Title 68 and Title 71.

#### **HB 2266 by \*Akbari, Camper, Gilmore, Favors, Miller, Jones, Johnson G, Shaw, Turner J, Powell, Armstrong, Towns, Pitts (SB 2380 by \*Finney , Kyle, Tate, Harper, Burks)**

Welfare - As introduced, establishes a poverty task force. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 71.

#### **HB 2110 by \*Brooks H, Dean (SB 2252 by \*Massey, Bowling)**

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, prohibits points from being assigned to a driver's record for any accident where police, ambulance or fire vehicles or apparatus were involved, as reported on the Tennessee Uniform Traffic Crash Report. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10 and Title 55, Chapter 50.

#### **HB 2221 by \*Camper, White M, Towns, Turner J, Hardaway, Akbari, Love, Coley, Favors, McManus, DeBerry J, Parkinson, Shaw (SB 1898 by \*Tate)**

Correctional Programs - As introduced, directs the commissioner of correction to study the effectiveness of the department's orientation concerning post-release issues for inmates and report to the criminal justice committee of the house and the judiciary committee of the senate by January 15, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 40; Title 41; Title 55 and Title 67.

#### **HB 2434 by \*Carr J (SB 2552 by \*Hensley)**

Education - As introduced, allows LEAs to promote a student who has missed the maximum number of school days pursuant to the LEA's attendance policy to be promoted to the next grade if the student successfully completes all academic course work. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30.

**HB 2249 by \*Casada, Womick, Butt, Dunn, Sargent, White D, Matheny, Evans, Brooks K (SB 1602 by \*Bell, Gresham, Stevens, Yager, Johnson, Tracy, Hensley, Crowe, Tate, Ketron, Campfield, Haile)**

Textbooks - As introduced, restructures the textbook commission and the textbook selection process. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 49.

**HB 1293 by \*Dean, Shipley, Lamberth, Watson, Faison, Haynes, Camper, Rich, DeBerry J, Alexander, Mitchell, Rogers, Weaver, Jones, Miller, Favors, Coley, Goins, Lollar, Shaw, Hardaway, Forgety, Todd, Parkinson, Gilmore, Swann, Carr D, Farmer, Travis, Johnson C, Brooks K, Powell (SB 1362 by \*Yager)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the continuing offense of sexual abuse of a child which is committing three or more incidents of sexual abuse of a child over more than a 90-day period or five incidents involving two or more victims within a 90-day period; establishes venue and punishment. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

**HB 1902 by \*Dean (SB 1952 by \*Gardenhire, Stevens)**

Bail, Bail Bonds - As introduced, specifies that a bond will remain in effect until the court renders the defendant's sentence, if the disposition of the case is a conviction or a plea of guilty; specifies that after such a disposition and before the sentence is rendered, the bond will not negatively impact the surety. - Amends TCA Section 40-11-138.

**HB 1904 by \*Dean (SB 2023 by \*Bell, McNally)**

Mental Illness - As introduced, makes inmates eligible for certain assistance and makes various other changes relative to persons in custody. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 12; Title 33; Title 38; Title 41; Title 56 and Title 71.

**HB 1780 by \*DeBerry J, White M (SB 1887 by \*Gresham)**

Schools, Charter - As introduced, creates a 30 day application period for students eligible for the achievement school district to enroll in the charter school; allows additional students to enroll in the charter school as long as the student enrollment does not exceed the school's capacity. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13.

**HB 2061 by \*Durham, Powers (SB 2039 by \*Kelsey)**

Welfare - As introduced, adds a limitation of 18 months for a continuous consecutive stay to eligibility requirements for temporary assistance to needy families. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 1.

**HB 1390 by \*Faison, Eldridge (SB 1671 by \*Southerland, Crowe)**

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, requires the assessor, upon application of an owner of property that qualifies for federal low-income housing tax credits, to value the property based on actual income derived from the property without consideration of any value attributable to the low-income housing tax credits. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5.

**HB 1745 by \*Faison (SB 1810 by \*Niceley)**

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, removes obsolete definitions of "premier type tourist resorts". - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4, Part 1.

**HB 1755 by \*Faison, Sanderson (SB 1884 by \*Niceley)**

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows manufacturing of intoxicating liquors in any county with at least three premier type tourist resort licensees in such county. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 2, Part 1.

**HB 1425 by \*McCormick, Farmer, Brooks K (SB 1629 by \*Norris, Watson)**

Medical Occupations - As introduced, authorizes online applications for various occupations regulated by the division of health related boards; revises public record status of certain investigatory records of the department of health. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 1, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 10, Part 3; Title 63, Chapter 11, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 13, Part 3; Title 63, Chapter 23, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 25, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 3, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 4, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 63, Chapter 9, Part 1.

**HB 1400 by \*Goins (SB 1672 by \*Southerland, Overbey)**

Handgun Permits - As introduced, changes the timeframe in which a handgun carry permit expires from 4 years to 5 years; allows the commissioner of safety to stagger initial January 1, 2016, renewal so that the 5 year expiration will occur on the permit holder's birthday and at same time as the person's driver license. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

**HB 0047 by \*Haynes, Lundberg, Sexton (SB 0289 by \*Ketron, Green)**

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, decreases, from two years to one year and from 10 years to five years, the residency requirements for the issuance of a retailer's license to sell alcoholic beverages; specifies, if the next of kin takes over a valid retail license in the event of death of the holder, the residency requirements do not apply. - Amends TCA Title 57.

**HB 2104 by \*Haynes (SB 2256 by \*Massey)**

Mental Illness - As introduced, extends pilot project for assisted outpatient treatment for two years until June 30, 2016. - Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 6, Part 6.

**HB 2240 by \*Haynes (SB 2265 by \*Yager)**

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, makes various changes to certain license requirements for establishments selling alcoholic beverages for on premises consumption; allows such establishments to blend or infuse alcoholic beverages. - Amends TCA Section 57-3-202 and Title 57, Chapter 4.

**HB 1661 by \*Hill T, Van Huss, Hill M, Lamberth, Sexton, Faison, Casada, Rich, White D, Williams K, Watson (SB 2021 by \*Beavers)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, requires a person convicted of manufacturing methamphetamine to serve at least 180 days in confinement and a person convicted of possession of methamphetamine to serve at least 30 days in confinement. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4.

**HB 2029 by \*Holt (SB 2178 by \*Campfield)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the offense of retail vandalism to be graded as theft; creates the Class C felony of knowing aggravated retail vandalism and Class D felony of reckless aggravated retail vandalism; creates the Class E felony of organized retail vandalism. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14.

**HB 1396 by \*Lamberth, Gilmore (SB 1789 by \*Haile)**

Child Custody and Support - As introduced, allows a person who is not in compliance with child support obligations to receive a restricted driver license that permits driving to and from the person's regular place of employment. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 5.

**HB 1442 by \*Lamberth (SB 1505 by \*Johnson)**

Corporations, Not for Profit - As introduced, revises laws relating to non-profit corporations. - Amends TCA Title 48.



**HB 1912 by \*Lollar (SB 2335 by \*Kelsey)**

Tourism - As introduced, requires a municipality or public authority to include a resolution, adopted by the legislative body for the county in which the tourism development zone is proposed that authorizes the submission of the application, with any application for approval of the tourism development zone which would utilize any portion of the local option sales tax revenues designated for schools. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 88.

**HB 2342 by \*Love (SB 2429 by \*Harper, Crowe, Ford)**

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, specifies circumstances under which a nursing home may divide and relocate a portion of its licensed beds (each being a qualified partial relocation). - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11.

**HB 1328 by \*Lynn, Womick (SB 1324 by \*Ketron)**

Newspapers and Publications - As introduced, requires all legal notices required by statute to be published in a newspaper of general circulation to be posted on the administrative register web site within the secretary of state's web site by the entity required to post such notice. -

**HB 2184 by \*Matlock, Rich (SB 2434 by \*Crowe)**

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, makes out-of-state medical laboratories subject to rebate prohibition in medical laboratory statute and other provisions of that statute deemed necessary by the medical laboratory board to protect the public. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 29.

**HB 2449 by \*Matlock (SB 2054 by \*Bell, Gardenhire, Summerville)**

Human Rights Commission - As introduced, renames the commission the "Tennessee affirmative action commission"; restructures the commission by granting the senate and house speakers the authority to appoint members to the commission equal in number to the governor, whereas present law authorizes the governor to appoint all members to the commission. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8, Chapter 50 and Title 68, Chapter 1.

**HB 2454 by \*Matheny (SB 2500 by \*Gardenhire)**

Emergency Communications Districts - As introduced, requires the emergency communications board to meet on a bimonthly basis instead of a quarterly basis, and authorizes the board to also meet upon the call of a majority of the voting members of the board. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 86, Part 3.



**HB 1403 by \*McManus (SB 1464 by \*Norris)**

Comptroller, State - As introduced, requires the comptroller, in consultation with the commissioner of the alcoholic beverages commission, to annually report to the state and local government committee of the senate and the state government committee of the house of representatives, on the distribution of all gross receipt taxes collected from the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premise consumption. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 49; Title 57 and Title 67.

**HB 1982 by \*Parkinson, Love, Lamberth (SB 2177 by \*Campfield)**

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, allows homeowners' associations, neighborhood associations, neighborhood watch or any organized group of residents that live within a residential area to seek an order of protection prohibiting entry into the residential boundaries against an offender with three or more convictions for theft, burglary, rape or criminal homicide. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

**HB 2133 by \*Ragan, Brooks H (SB 2311 by \*McNally, Burks)**

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, allows LEA employees who are not teachers, but who accrue sick leave, to participate in the LEA's teacher sick leave bank. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 7 and Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 8.

**HB 2312 by \*Ragan (SB 2319 by \*McNally)**

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, requires the \$2.00 fee imposed by county clerks for handling mail orders of registration plates and decals to be increased to \$3.00 on January 1 of the first new license plate issuance year after July 1, 2014. - Amends TCA Section 55-4-105.

**HB 1876 by \*Ramsey (SB 1905 by \*Overbey, Finney, Massey, Yager)**

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, allows students who would have qualified for the STEP UP scholarship, if the scholarship had been in effect in 2012-2013, to receive the scholarship as second year students in 2013-2014; provided the students meet the continuation requirements for the scholarship at the end of their first year of study. - Amends TCA Section 49-4-943.

**HB 2169 by \*Rich, Rogers (SB 1459 by \*Green, Bowling)**

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, treats a member of a criminal enterprise who participates in a crime by recording the crime for the purpose of gratification of the members or as proof of completion of a game as a principal and punishes such member the same as those committing the offense. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 11, Part 4.

**HB 2171 by \*Rich (SB 1853 by \*Crowe)**

Medical Occupations - As introduced, requires that nurse practitioners and physician assistants keep current the name of their supervising physicians in their online profiles and makes failure to do so punishable by administrative discipline by licensing boards. - Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 67.

**HB 2177 by \*Rich (SB 1690 by \*Massey)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, states that serious bodily injury to a child shall include second- or third-degree burns, a fracture of any bone, a concussion, subdural or subarachnoid bleeding, retinal hemorrhage, cerebral edema, brain contusion, injuries to the skin that involve severe bruising or the likelihood of permanent or protracted disfigurement, including those sustained by whipping children with objects. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

**HB 2176 by \*Rich (SB 1649 by \*Overbey, Kelsey)**

Sentencing - As introduced, eliminates release eligibility for a person committing attempted first degree murder where the victim suffers serious bodily injury, on or after July 1, 2014, until the person has served 90 percent of the sentence imposed by the court less sentence credits earned and retained. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

**HB 1757 by \*Sexton (SB 1988 by \*Southerland)**

Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, enacts the "Flexible Credit Act". - Amends TCA Title 45.

**HB 1554 by \*Shepard, Turner M, Johnson G, Jernigan, Sexton, Odom, Sanderson, Watson, Goins, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Jones, Shaw, Fitzhugh, Swann, Alexander, Pitts, Weaver, Littleton, Lundberg, Doss (SB 1991 by \*Overbey, Haile, Bell, Yager)**

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, regulates the use of maximum allowable cost lists by pharmacy benefit managers and covered entities. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 31.

**HB 2019 by \*Stewart (SB 2118 by \*Finney )**

Taxes - As introduced, clarifies that, for purposes of waiving a civil penalty when a shipper fails, due to an error other than negligence, to notify the commissioner prior to diverting fuel, the shipper must "satisfactorily demonstrate" the failure to provide notice was due to the error. - Amends TCA Title 67.

**HB 1898 by \*Swann, Gilmore (SB 1917 by \*Southerland)**

Recycling - As introduced, increases the recycling goal for municipal solid waste regions in phases from the current 25 percent to 50 percent in 2018; requires that certain actions be taken by regions that do not meet the goal; requires that preference for certain grants be given to regions that do not meet the goal. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211.

**HB 2288 by \*Turner J, Camper, Gilmore, Dean, Parkinson, Alexander, Lamberth, Akbari, Armstrong, Ragan, Windle, DeBerry J, Spivey, Fitzhugh, Shepard, Williams R, Goins, Mitchell, Pitts, Miller, Hardaway, Eldridge, Evans, Doss, Tidwell, Love, Turner M, Shipley, Durham, VanHuss, Womick, Johnson G (SB 2217 by \*Kyle)**

Veterans - As introduced, allows eligible veteran and veteran's spouse to be interred at no cost if buried in a Tennessee veterans' cemetery. - Amends TCA Title 46, Chapter 6.

**HB 1665 by \*Weaver, Keisling, Pody, Lamberth, Rogers, Lynn (SB 1790 by \*Haile)**

Industrial Development - As introduced, extends allocation of certain funds to Four Lake regional industrial development authority from fiscal year 2013-2014 to 2017-2018. - Amends TCA Section 67-9-102.

**HB 2417 by \*White D, McCormick (SB 1657 by \*Kelsey, Ketron)**

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, adds certain offenses to the list of crimes eligible for the interception of communications for evidence. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 6, Part 3.

**HB 1279 by \*White M, Brooks K, Odom, Eldridge, McManus, Durham, Fitzhugh, Casada, Jernigan, McDaniel, Sexton, Williams R (SB 1047 by \*Kelsey)**

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, creates the Tennessee behavior analyst licensing board. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 63.

**HB 1679 by \*Windle, McCormick, Calfee, Jernigan, Haynes, Sanderson  
(SB 1708 by \*Yager, Overbey)**

Taxes, Sales - As introduced, under certain circumstances, allocates state tax revenue to a county or industrial development corporation that acquires certain property from the state on or after January 1, 2014. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

**HB 1794 by \*Windle (SB 1983 by \*Campfield)**

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, increases penalty for carrying a firearm when otherwise prohibited by law from doing so and removes penalty for carrying a firearm if not prohibited by law from doing so. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

**HB 2206 by \*Windle (SB 2266 by \*Yager, Ford)**

Air Pollution - As introduced, requires the air pollution control board to require the department of environment and conservation to cause an on-site inspection of any crematory's incinerators that will be used for non-human remains before issuing a permit. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 44; Title 62, Chapter 5; Title 68 and Title 69, Chapter 3.

**HB 1116 by \*McCormick (SB 1128 by \*Yager, Norris)**

Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, removes a reference to a code provision concerning review of back assessments and assessments that was repealed. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5.

**HB 2491 by \*McCormick, Brooks H, White M, Forgety, Kane, Coley, White D, Brooks K, DeBerry J (SB 2471 by \*Norris, Campfield)**

Education, Higher - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Promise Scholarship Act of 2014"; revises certain provisions of the Tennessee HOPE scholarship program. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 7 and Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9.

**HB 1367 by \*Sargent, Johnson C, Evans, White D, Calfee, Durham, Casada, Carr J, Lamberth, Sparks, Brooks K, Coley, Ramsey, Eldridge, Carter, Lollar, Halford, Sexton, Swann, Travis, Doss, Wirgau, Alexander, Marsh, Tidwell, McManus, Farmer, Bailey (SB 1427 by \*Green, Bell, Tracy, Campfield, Summerville, Kelsey)**

Taxes, Income - As introduced, beginning January 1, 2015, annually reduces the rate of the Hall Income Tax and increases the portion of taxes distributed to cities and counties in which the taxpayers are located; beginning January 1, 2018, requires 100 percent of the tax revenue collected by the state be distributed to the cities and counties. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2.

**HB 1699 by \*Sargent (SB 1826 by \*Johnson)**

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, permits registration valid for 18 months instead of 12 for certain businesses engaged in the rental of motor vehicles, trucks and trailers for periods of 31 days or less. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

**HB 0343 by \*Harrison (SB 0997 by \*McNally)**

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, extends time for attorney general and reporter to give notice in decisions concerning certain hospitals; revises reporting requirements by hospitals; stays certain tax enforcement measures involving not for profit taxpayers. - Amends TCA Title 48; Title 67 and Title 68.

**HB 1551 by \*Harrison, Carr D, Lamberth, Parkinson, Rich, Jernigan, Faison, McDaniel, Carter, Haynes, Durham, Farmer, Calfee (SB 1747 by \*Yager, Overbey, Finney )**

Courts, General Sessions - As introduced, changes the date for determining which class a county is in for purposes of compensating general sessions judges from September 1 to October 1. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 15.

## Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee

Tuesday, April 8, 2014 - HHR16 - 9:00 AM

Harrison, Chair;

Alexander, Armstrong, Brooks K, Camper, Fitzhugh, Hawk, McCormick,  
McDaniel, Odom, Roach, Sargent

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## APPROPRIATIONS

### [HB 2501](#) by \*Sargent, McCormick (SB 2596 by \*Norris)

Appropriations - As introduced, makes appropriations for fiscal years beginning July 1, 2013, and July 1, 2014. -

### [HB 2502](#) by \*Sargent, McCormick (SB 2600 by \*Norris)

Bond Issues - As introduced, authorizes the state to issue and sell bonds of up to \$167.6 million. -

### [HB 2500](#) by \*Sargent, McCormick (SB 2597 by \*Norris)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, specifies how proceeds from the sale and conveyance of surplus real property or improvements used for state forestry or other operations of the department of agriculture are to be used; revises other various statutory provisions required for implementation of the annual appropriations act. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 8; Title 9; Title 10; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 16; Title 17; Title 18; Title 29; Title 33; Title 36; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41; Title 43; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 49; Title 50; Title 53; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 57; Title 58; Title 59; Title 60; Title 62; Title 63; Title 64; Title 65; Title 66; Title 67; Title 68; Title 69; Title 70 and Title 7.

### [HB 2499](#) by \*Sargent, McCormick, Farmer (SB 2598 by \*Norris)

Judges and Chancellors - As introduced, revises provisions governing base salary for district attorneys general, judges and chancellors. - Amends TCA Sections 8-7-105 and 8-23-103.

### [HB 2503](#) by \*Sargent, McCormick (SB 2599 by \*Norris)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, specifies that the costs of the property tax relief program are subject to annual appropriations. - Amends TCA Title 67.

## Government Operations Committee

Tuesday, April 8, 2014 - HHR30 - 11:00 AM

**Matheny, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;**

Carr J, Casada, Evans, Fitzhugh, Halford, Hardaway, Johnson C, McCormick,  
Turner J, Turner M

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**HB 2394 by \*Halford (SB 1914 by \*Bell)**

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, combines the geologists and soil scientists funds to create the new geologist and soil scientist regulatory fund, with moneys from the fund to be used to defray expenses of the Soil Scientist Licensure Act and the Geologist Licensure Act. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 18, Part 2 and Title 62, Chapter 36.

**HB 2030 by \*Holt (SB 1811 by \*Niceley)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, expands the offense of criminal trespass to include a prohibition against persons who are not employees of the property owner from conducting labor union activities on the property; establishes a no trespass public notice list to be maintained by the secretary of state and adds other related provisions. - Amends TCA Title 29; Title 39, Chapter 14 and Title 40.

**HB 1926 by \*Rogers, Miller, Carr D, Durham, Hall, Floyd (SB 1950 by \*Gardenhire)**

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, creates a loan program for the payment of real property taxes on residences of certain low or moderate income persons who are elderly or disabled. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 23 and Title 67.

**HB 1892 by \*Goins, Roach, Carr D, Farmer, Powell (SB 1954 by \*Southerland, Ramsey, Niceley, Ford, Bowling, Campfield, Beavers, Bell, Burks, Crowe, Dickerson, Finney, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Henry, Hensley, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Kyle, Massey, McNally, Norris, Overbey, Stevens, Summerville, Tate, Tracy, Watson, Yager)**

Boats, Boating - As introduced, enacts the "Noah Dean and Nate Act" to lessen the likelihood of electric shock drowning near marinas and boat docks. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 6; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 70.

**HB 1973 by \*Pitts (SB 2006 by \*Green)**

Students - As introduced, requires the department of education to maintain the unique personal identification numbers of students of active duty military parents or guardians in a separate database to identify and track these students if the students move to different schools across the state and country. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

**HB 0788 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 0332 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the drycleaner environmental response board, June 30, 2014. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 68, Chapter 217.

**HB 1597 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1559 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the state protest committee, June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 4, Chapter 56.

**HB 1608 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1556 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the state building commission, June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 15, Part 1 and Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2.

**HB 1673 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1603 by \*Bell)**

Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, continues permanent rules filed with the secretary of state after January 1, 2013. -

**HB 1634 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1895 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the emergency communications board, June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 7, Chapter 86, Part 3.